



WOMAN OF THE YEAR

Janella Horsley was recently named "Woman of the Year" at Little Rock AME Zion Church located at 403 North Myers Street. This year marked the second annual observance. Last year's "Woman of the Year" was Barbara Doster. She presented plaques to Mrs. Horsley and second place winner Willette Glenn and third place winner Theritha Duren. Other ladies competing in the competition included left to right, front

row: Lena R. McCain, Lonnie Wallace, Willette Glenn, Janella Horsley, Theritha Duren, Marva Saunders. Back row, L-R: Lillian Mason, Barbara Doster, Barbara Jones, Brenda White and Ruth Billiard. The "Woman of the Year" observance will continue to be an annual program at Little Rock AME Zion Church, pastored by Rev. William M. White. (Photo: Peeler's Portrait Studio)

**As You Get Older
Will Your Memory Decline?**

By Karen Watson
Special To The Post
Will your memory decline as you get older? Drs. Denise Park and Thomas Puglisi of the University of North Carolina at Charlotte's Psychology Department have been involved in looking at that and other memory research questions for several years.

Their work is sponsored by a research grant from the National Institute on Aging for the study of memory processes in humans across the life span.

The Park and Puglisi research compares the differences between picture and word memory in older adults. They map out the components that make pictures and words memorable and which components decline in impact with age.

To determine what makes a picture me-

morable, Park and Puglisi have developed well over 1,000 slides of words and pictures in which various components such as color and background are changed. Much of the research grant goes towards the development of these

series of slides. According to Dr. Puglisi, the preparation of the slides is both "difficult and time consuming." Volunteers are studied for their responses to the slides.

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